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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 28, 2008 be extended for a period of 3 months from August 28, 2008 to November 28, 2008. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$1,110.

The required fee, estimated to be \$1,110, was charged to Novozymes North America, Inc.'s Deposit Account No. 50-1701 at the time of electronic filing. The USPTO is authorized to charge this Deposit Account should any additional fees be due.

Respectfully submitted,

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